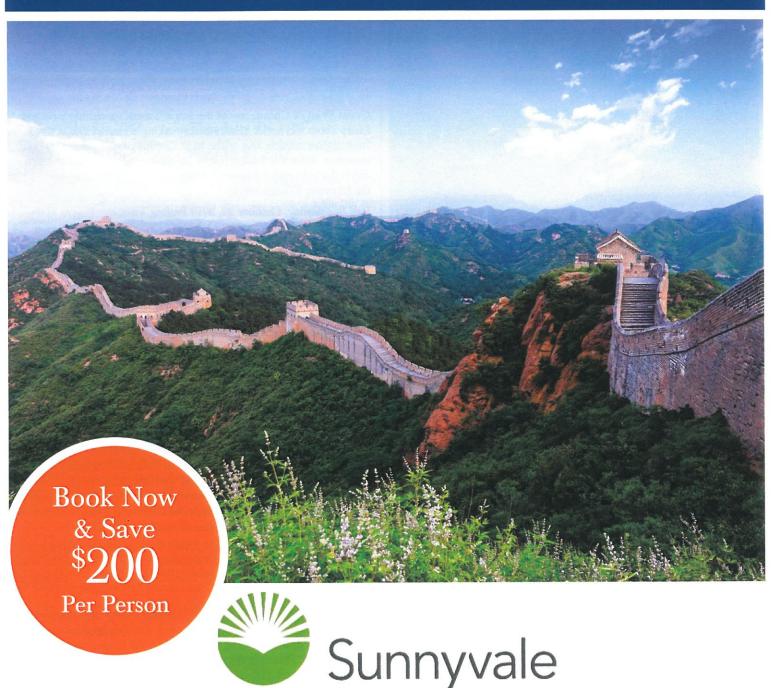
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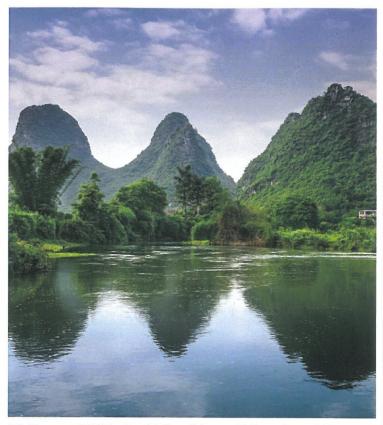
# Wonders of China & the Yangtze River

with Optional 4-Night Hong Kong & Macau Post Tour Extension

October 18 – November 2, 2019



For more information contact Sunnyvale Senior Center Extended Trip Program (408) 730-7360



16 Days • 35 Meals: 14 Breakfasts, 12 Lunches, 9 Dinners

HIGHLIGHTS... Tiananmen Square, Forbidden City, The Great Wall, Temple of Heaven, Rickshaw Tour, Hutongs, Xian, Terracotta Warriors, Yangtze River Cruise, Three Gorges Dam, Chengdu, Giant Panda Breeding Research Base, Shanghai, Acrobatics Show, Yuyuan Garden

#### **ITINERARY AT A GLANCE**

Day 1 Overnight Flight

Days 2 – 5 Grand Gongda Jianguo Hotel , Beijing

Days 6, 7 Grand Dynasty Culture Hotel, Xian

Days 8 – 11 Century Cruises, Chongqing

Days 12, 13 Chengdu Hotel, Chengdu

Days 14, 15 Hongqiao Jin Jiang Hotel Shanghai, Shanghai

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.



Exploring the Rivers of the World: Collette's River Cruises are a slower, more intimate way to explore the world. These adventures, on small 4-star vessels, are an easy way to travel through the world's beautiful waterways. Plus, when you step off your ship with a Tour Manager by your side, you'll truly come to know the people and places along the river.

Day 1: Friday, October 18, 2019 Overnight Flight Set out on a journey that takes you to Beijing, Xian, Chengdu and Shanghai. Your adventure also includes a 4-night cruise on the captivating Yangtze River.

Day 2: Saturday, October 19, 2019 Beijing, China - Tour Begins
Arrive in the ancient capital of China. As the political center of China
for the past 800 years, and the world's second most populous city,
Beijing is rich in history with both modern and traditional
architecture.

Day 3: Sunday, October 20, 2019 Beijing We begin our day with a stroll through iconic Tiananmen Square. Afterwards, set out to discover the Forbidden City, an awe-inspiring 15th-century complex of palaces, courtyards and gardens that were once the home of the Ming and Qing emperors. The remainder of your day is at leisure. Tonight, join your fellow travelers for a welcome dinner. (B, L, D)

Day 4: Monday, October 21, 2019 Beijing Today's destination is the Great Wall of China, one of the world's most incredible wonders. Learn about the wall's history before taking a memorable walk on the Juyongguan section, one of the most famous passes along this epic structure. After this bucket list event, visit a jade museum to learn about the jade-making process. Finally, return to the city, driving past the Olympic Village. (B, L)

Day 5: Tuesday, October 22, 2019 Beijing Your day begins at the spiritual Temple of Heaven (a UNESCO World Heritage site), a complex of buildings that symbolizes the connection between the earth and heaven. Afterwards, take a rickshaw ride through the hutongs, the traditional alleys of Beijing. Meet a local family and enjoy a dumpling-making class before a traditional calligraphy lesson. Then, share a simple lunch with them. Later, take part in a traditional Chinese tea ceremony. Tonight, dine on delicious Peking Duck, a favorite of the emperors. (B, L, D)

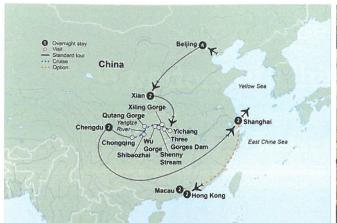
Day 6: Wednesday, October 23, 2019 Beijing - Xian Fly to the ancient city of Xian where the legendary Silk Road comes to an end. This evening, dine on delicious Shui Jiao dumplings. (B, L, D)

Day 7: Thursday, October 24, 2019 Xian Today, explore the incredible excavation site of the Terracotta Warriors. This vast clay army of 8,000 soldiers was created to guard China's first emperor in the afterlife. You'll be amazed at the detail – each statue has a different face. Next, visit the Xian Arts and Ceramic exhibition center to see life-sized models of the warriors being made. At lunch enjoy a Xian specialty – hand-pulled noodles – with a demonstration on how they are made. Later, enjoy a walk on the Ancient City Wall of Xian. (B, L)

Day 8: Friday, October 25, 2019 Xian - Yichang - Board Cruise Ship After a short flight to Yichang, board your ship for a 4-night cruise up the Yangtze River. Relax as this exciting leg of your journey gets underway. (B, D)

Day 9: Saturday, October 26, 2019 Cruising - Three Gorges Dam - Xiling Gorge Begin your day with a tai chi lesson on the sundeck as we sail towards the dramatic Xiling Gorge, the longest section of the Three Gorges. Discover the state-of-the-art site, Three Gorges Dam, the world's largest hydroelectric project. Tonight, enjoy the Captain's welcome dinner and show. (B, L, D)

Day 10: Sunday, October 27, 2019 Cruising - Shennv Stream - Wu Gorge - Qutang Gorge Take in the tranquil surroundings on a ride up the remote Shennv Stream in traditional pea boats. Upon returning to the ship, enjoy the majestic vistas as we sail through Wu Gorge, known for its 12 forest-covered peaks. This afternoon, continue on past the dramatic cliffs that surround the Qutang Gorge. (B, L, D)







# Book Now & Save \$200 Per Person:

For bookings made after Apr 19, 2019 call for rates.

**Included in Price**: Cancellation Waiver and Insurance of \$385 per person, Round Trip Air from San Francisco Intl Airport, Air Taxes and Fees/Surcharges, Hotel Transfer

#### \* All Rates are Per Person and are subject to change, based on air inclusive package from SFO

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Day 11: Monday, October 28, 2019 Cruising - Shibaozhai Arrive at Shibaozhai (Precious Stone Fortress). This imposing hill along the banks of the river is adorned with a 9-story red pagoda. You may climb the stairs to the top for a picture perfect view of the river and surrounding countryside. (B, L, D)

Day 12: Tuesday, October 29, 2019 Chongqing - Disembark Cruise Ship - Chengdu We disembark this morning in the mountain city of Chongqing and travel to Chengdu, the capital of the Sichuan Province. Spend time on your own strolling through its ancient streets. Come to know the leisurely lifestyle and teahouse culture that make this city so captivating. Tonight, sample the fresh, bold flavors of the local Sichuan cuisine. (B, L, D)

Day 13: Wednesday, October 30, 2019 Chengdu Your morning begins with a visit to the Giant Panda Breeding Research Base. Learn how China's national treasure is being brought back from the edge of extinction. Your guided tour allows you the rare opportunity to see the Giant Panda in its natural environment. The sanctuary is also home to the rare Red Panda. Enjoy an afternoon visit to the Du Fu Thatched Cottage, the former home to the poet known as the "Shakespeare of China." End your day by exploring Jinli Ancient Street with its traditional-style buildings. (B, L)

Day 14: Thursday, October 31, 2019 Chengdu – Shanghai Board a flight to Shanghai, the economic capital of the People's Republic of China. This bustling city's futuristic skyline will leave you speechless. Experience the modern side of China as you take the super-fast Maglev train into central Shanghai. Later this evening prepare to be amazed at a Chinese acrobatics show. (B, L)

Day 15: Friday, November 1, 2019 Shanghai Enjoy a sightseeing tour of Shanghai. Famous for its impressive colonial buildings, you'll feel as though you have returned to 19th century Europe. Explore Old Town's narrow streets and relax in the tranquil Yuyuan Garden before discovering ancient Chinese art and historical treasures during a visit to the Shanghai Museum. Set out for the waterfront district, known as the Bund, which runs along the Huangpu River. Enjoy lunch at a celebrated local restaurant known for its xiao long bao soup dumplings. Then explore the past as we visit a silk museum. Later, celebrate your adventure with a farewell dinner at a local restaurant. (B, L, D)

Day 16: Saturday, November 2, 2019 Shanghai - Tour Ends Your adventure comes to an end today. (B)

#### Experience It! Exploring Beijing's Hutongs

A hutong is an ancient city alley or lane typically found in Beijing. Surrounding the Forbidden City, many were built during the Yuan, Ming and Qing dynasties. In the prime of these dynasties, the emperors – in order to establish supreme power for themselves – planned a city and arranged the residential areas according to the etiquette systems of the Zhou Dynasty. The main buildings in the hutong were all quadrangles – a building complete with four houses around a quadrangle. The quadrangle varies in size and according to the social status of the family. You will have the opportunity to roam through Beijing's old, narrow streets – hutongs – in a fashioned pedicab. You'll also enjoy a simple lunch in the home of a local family, and with the help of an interpreter, learn about the family's history and way of life.

# **EXTEND YOUR VACATION WITH**

Optional 5 Days 4-Night Hong Kong & Macau Post Tour Extension

Rate: \$1,299.00 USD per person, double, land & air inclusive

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# TRAVEL DATE: 10/18/2019 TERRITORY: WA

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#### YOUR INFORMATION:

Clearly print your full name (first/middle/last) as it appears on your government issued travel documentation.

**IMPORTANT:** In order to avoid any unnecessary change fees, it is imperative that all guest names are entered correctly from the start. The information below must be the <u>legal</u> name and be 100% identical to the ID being used to travel passport/driver's license> including middle names or suffixes <Jr, Sr>.

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# CREDIT CARD AUTHORIZATION FORM

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## **Available Options**

Personalize your tour by adding an optional activity below. Our recommended options have been carefully chosen to help enhance your individual experience. Complete the provided Prepaid Options Form to reserve your options.

Availability is limited and reservations are on a first come, first serve basis. Payment must be received no later than 15 days prior to departure. Prices are subject to change.

Children under the age of 18 MUST be accompanied by an adult.

#### Xian



#### Tang Dynasty Dinner and Show

\$110 USD

Relive the glory and grandeur of the Tang Dynasty with a performance at the opulent Tang Dynasty Theater and Restaurant. Through music, dance and lavish costumes, highly gifted performers celebrate the history of Xian, a cultural crossroads on the Silk Road where exotic cultures blend beautifully with the ancient Tang culture. Prior to the dance performance, feast on Cantonese cuisine, prepared by internationally-acclaimed chefs. *Duration:*Approximately 4 hours. Please note a minimum of 10 passengers is required. Transportation is included.

#### Beijing

# Beijing Kung Fu Show with Dinner

\$120 USD

Enjoy a lavish multi-course dinner at one of Beijing's top restaurants, then proceed to Beijing's renowned Red Theatre for a performance of "The Legend of Kung Fu." The story tells of a young boy who dreams of becoming a Kung Fu master and attaining enlightenment, and is a riveting display of music, dance and martial arts. The show made its first appearance on the Beijing stage in 2004, and has become a world-class attraction. *Duration: Approximately 3 hours.* Please note a minimum of 2 passengers is required. Transportation is included.

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